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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. 1)

GEMSTAR INTERNATIONAL GROUP LIMITED (Name of Issuer)

Ordinary Shares, par value \$.01 per share (Title or Class of Securities)

G-3788-V106 (CUSIP Number)

Philippe Andrau THOMSON multimedia S.A. 46 Quai A. LeGallo 92100 Boulogne

> FRANCE 331-4126-5174

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

October 3, 1999 (Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition which is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of Rule 13d-1(b)(3) or (4), check the following box $\lfloor \cdot \rfloor$.

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SCHEDULE 13D AMENDMENT NO. 1

The following information updates and revises the material contained in the original Schedule 13D report, filed April 23, 1998 (the "Original 13D") by THOMSON multimedia S.A., a French societe anonyme (the "Company"), relating to the voting Ordinary Shares, par value \$.01 per share (the "Ordinary Shares"), of Gemstar International Group Limited, a British Virgin Islands corporation ("Gemstar").

Item 1. Security and Issuer.

This Schedule 13D relates to the Ordinary Shares of Gemstar, with principal executive offices located at 135 North Los Robles Avenue, Suite 800, Pasadena, California 91101.

Item 2. Identity and Background.

This Schedule 13D is being filed jointly by the Company and Thomson S.A., a French societe anonyme. The Company's principal business involves the manufacture and distribution of consumer electronics products. The Company is organized under the laws of France and has its principal executive offices at 46 Quai A. Le Gallo, 92100 Boulogne, France. The Company is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Thomson S.A.

Thomson S.A.'s principal executive offices are at 173 Boulevard Haussmann 75008 Paris, France. Thomson S.A. principally acts as a holding company for the French government. All of the outstanding shares of Thomson S.A. are owned by the French government.

Schedules A, B, C and D respectively, attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, set forth the name, business address, present principal occupation or employment of the executive officers and directors of the Company and Thomson S.A. and the name, principal business and address of any company or organization in which such employment is carried on, and the citizenship of each director, executive officer and controlling person of the Company and Thomson S.A.

During the last five years, none of the Company, Thomson S.A. or any of the persons named on the attached Schedules A, B, C or D has been convicted in a criminal proceeding (excluding traffic violations or similar misdemeanors) or was a party to a civil proceeding of a judicial or administrative body of competent jurisdiction as a result of which any such person was or is subject to a judgment, decree or final order enjoining future violations of, or prohibiting or mandating activities subject to, federal or state securities laws or finding any violation with respect to such laws.

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Item 3. Sources and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration.

2,020,666 Ordinary Shares were acquired by the Company as a result of the merger of Starsight Telecast, Inc. ("Starsight"), in which the Company held shares, with a subsidiary of Gemstar on May 8, 1997 (the "Merger"). At the time of the Merger, the Company also held two warrants to purchase Starsight shares which were converted into warrants to purchase Ordinary Shares as a result of the Merger. Each warrant entitled the Company to purchase an additional 606,200 Ordinary Shares, the first at a purchase price of \$12.30 per share and the second at a purchase price of \$16.50 per share.

On February 12, 1998, the Company purchased 600,000 Ordinary Shares from Viacom International Inc. ("Viacom") at an aggregate price of \$19,200,000 (equal to \$32.00 per Ordinary Share) pursuant to a Letter Agreement dated February 7, 1998, between the Company and Viacom (the "Letter Agreement"). The purchase was consummated using the Company's general corporate funds.

Item 4. Purposes of Transaction.

The shares reported were acquired in connection with the Merger and the transaction described in Item 3 and are held for investment purposes.

On October 4, 1999, Gemstar, TV Guide, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("TV Guide"), and G Acquisition Subsidiary Corp., a Delaware corporation

("Sub"), entered into an Agreement and Plan of Merger (the "Merger Agreement"), pursuant to which upon consummation of the transactions contemplated therein, TV Guide will become a wholly owned subsidiary of Gemstar. Concurrently with the execution of the Merger Agreement, the Company entered into an agreement (the "Voting Agreement") pursuant to which the Company agreed to vote its shares in favor of the transactions contemplated by the Merger Agreement (including the issuance of Gemstar's Ordinary Shares in connection with the Merger and the redomestication of Gemstar from the British Virgin Islands to the State of Delaware) and against any inconsistent proposals or transactions. In addition, the Company granted an irrevocable proxy to certain officers of TV Guide and appointed such officers as its attorney-in-fact to vote all the shares beneficially owned by the Company in accordance with the provisions of the Voting Agreement. The Voting Agreement is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Although the Company may, from time to time, purchase and sell Ordinary Shares in public or private transactions, other than as described above and as contemplated by the Voting Agreement, neither the Company or Thomson S.A. has present plans or proposals which may relate to or would result in (a) the acquisition or disposition of additional securities of Gemstar; (b) an extraordinary corporate transaction, such as a merger, reorganization or liquidation, involving Gemstar or any of its subsidiaries; (c) a sale or transfer of a material amount of assets of Gemstar or any of its subsidiaries; (d) any change in the present Board of Directors or management of Gemstar, including any plans or proposals to change the number or term of directors or to fill any existing vacancies on the Board; (e) any material change in the present capitalization or dividend policy of Gemstar; (f) any other material change in Gemstar's business or corporate

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structure; (g) changes in Gemstar's charter, by- laws or instruments corresponding thereto or other actions which may impede the acquisition of control of Gemstar by any person; (h) causing a class of securities of Gemstar to be delisted from a national securities exchange or to cease to be authorized to be quoted in an inter-dealer quotation system of a registered national securities association; (i) a class of equity securities of Gemstar becoming eligible for termination of a registration pursuant to section 12(g)(4) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended; or (j) any action similar to any of those enumerated above.

Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer,

The Company beneficially owns 12,307,464 Ordinary Shares, which represent approximately 6.1% of the Ordinary Shares of Gemstar outstanding on September 30, 1999, as reported on Gemstar's Form 10-Q report for the quarter ended as of September 30, 1999, with this number of Ordinary Shares outstanding adjusted for Gemstar's two-for-one stock split paid in December 1999. On January 30, 1998, the Company agreed to the cancellation of the first of the two warrants to purchase 606,200 Ordinary Shares in exchange for a payment from Gemstar of \$12,807,700 or \$21.13 per Ordinary Share. In January 1999, the Company exercised the remaining warrant for 606,200 Ordinary Shares, paying Gemstar \$10,002,300 or \$16.50 per Ordinary Share. In April and May of 1999, the Company sold Ordinary Shares of Gemstar in open market transactions on the New York Stock Exchange as follows:

Date of Sale	Number of Ordinary Shares Sold	Price per Ordinary Share
April 22, 1999	5,000	\$102,1250
April 23, 1999	45,000	100.6000
April 26, 1999	50,000	110.0000
April 27, 1999	25,000	120.5375
May 6, 1999	15,000	125.1000
May 12, 1999	10,000	125.0000

In April 1999, Gemstar's Board of Directors approved a two-for-one stock split in the form of a stock dividend which was paid in May 1999 to shareholders of record as of May 14, 1999.

In November 1999, Gemstar's Board of Directors approved a second two-for-one stock split in the form of a stock dividend which was paid in December 1999 to shareholders of record as of November 29, 1999.

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The Company shares voting and investment power with respect to all shares reported with Thomson S.A. as the Company's majority shareholder. Thomson S.A., as the majority shareholder of the Company, may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of all of the Ordinary Shares owned by the Company.

Item 6. Contracts, Arrangements, Understandings or Relationships with Respect to Securities of the Issuer.

The Company entered into the Voting Agreement on October 3, 1999.

Item 7. Material to be Filed as Exhibits.

- 99.1 Voting Agreement dated October 3, 1999 between TV Guide, Inc. and THOMSON multimedia S.A.(The number of Ordinary Shares beneficially owned by the Company as stated on Schedule 1 to the Voting Agreement does not reflect the sale of 150,000 Ordinary Shares by the Company in April and May of 1999 or the two-for-one stock split paid in December 1999.)
- 99.2 Agreement relating to filing of joint statements as required by Rule 13d-1(k).

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SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Date: February 7, 2000

THOMSON MULTIMEDIA S.A.

By:/s/ Jim Meyer Jim Meyer Senior Executive Vice President

THOMSON S.A.

By:/s/ Patrice Maynial Patrice Maynial Corporate Secretary

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SCHEDULE A THOMSON MULTIMEDIA S.A. EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

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Thierry Breton	46 Quai A. LeGallo 92100 Boulogne France	Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer	French
Patrice Maynial	46 Quai A. LeGallo 92100 Boulogne France	Senior Vice President, Corporate Secretary and Legal Counsel	French
Olivier Mallet	46 Quai A. LeGallo 92100 Boulogne France	Senior Vice President of Finance	French
Olivier Barberot	46 Quai A. LeGallo 92100 Boulogne France	Senior Vice President of Human Resources	French
Herve Hannebicque	46 Quai A, LeGallo 92100 Boulogne France	Senior Vice President of Entrepreneurship	French
Christophe Ripert	46 Quai A. LeGallo 92100 Boulogne France	Senior Executive Vice President of SBU Europe	French
Jim Meyer	10330 N. Meridian St. Indianapolis, IN USA	Senior Executive Vice President of SBUs Americas, Multimedia Products and New Media Services	American
Alain Carlotti	1000 Toa Payoh North Singapore 31899	Executive Vice President of SBU Asia	French

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Al Arras	10330 N. Meridian St. Indianapolis, IN USA	Executive Vice President of SBU Audio and Communications	American
Gilles Taldu	46 Quai A. LeGallo 92100 Bowlogne France	Executive Vice President of SBU Displays and Key Components	French
John Neville	46 Quai A. LeGallo 92100 Boulogne France	Intellectual Property Coordination (Senior Executive Vice President)	American
Charles Dehelly	46 Quai A. LeGallo 92100 Boulogne France	Senior Executive Vice President of Operations Coordination	French
Frank Dangeard	46 Quai A. LeGallo 92100 Boulogne France	Senior Executive Vice President of Corporate Coordination	French
Michael O'Hara	10330 N. Meridian St. Indianapolis, IN USA	Senior Vice President of SBU Americas	American
Enrique Rodriguez	10330 N. Meridian St. Indianapolis, IN USA	Vice President of SBU Multimedia Products	Mexican

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Thierry Breton 46 Quai A. LeGallo Chairman of the Board and French 92100 Boulogne Chief Executive Officer of

THOMSON multimedia France

S.A.

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France

Stephane Pallez 139 rue de Berry -Deputy Director, French French

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ll, rue d'Anjou Former Chairman and CEO Marcel Roulet French

75008 Paris of Thomson S.A., Former Chairman and CEO of France Telecom France

Frank Dangeard 46 Quai A. LeGallo Senior Executive Vice French

92100 Boulogne President of THOMSON multimedia S.A., Senior Executive Vice President of France

Thomson S.A.

Pierre Cabanes 173, Bd Haussmann Senior Executive Vice French 75008 Paris President of Thomson S.A.

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54 rue de la Boelie Secretary General, Alcatel Jacques French S.A.

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S.A.

Jean-Paul Gillyboeuf	26, Bd. Victor 00460 Paris Armees France	Adjoint au Delegue General pour l'Armement Delegation Generale pour l'Armement (French government)	French
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Paul Hamon	17, Boulevard Gaston- Birge BP 826 49808 Anges Cedex France	Operateur for Thomson Television Angers, a subsidiary of Thomson S.A.	French
Serge Bourget	17, Boulevard Gaston- Birge BP 826 49808 Anges Cedex France	Analyste programmer, Thomson Television Angers, a subsidiary of Thomson S.A.	French
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M. Didier Bureau	Le Bervil - 12 rue Villiot DIGITIP 3 75572 Paris Cedex 12 France	Ministere De L'Economie, Des Finances Et De L'Industrie - Secretariat A L'Industrie (French Government)	French
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M. Guy de Monchy	139 rue de Berch - Teledoc 653 75572 Paris Cedex 12 France	Chef de Service Direction de la Prevision Ministere De L'Economie, Des Finances Et De L'Industrie (French Government)	French
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M. Thierry Aulagnon	2 rue Pilet-Will 75009 Paris France	Directeur General du G.A.N. Direction Generale Deleguee Finances et Logistique	French

President Directeur General de INRIA (French Government)

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M. Guy de Panafieu	Bureau 59A64 - 68 route de Versailles BP 434 78434 Louveciennes Cedex, France	President Directeur General du Groupe BULL (computer equipment and information services company)	French
M Ervin Rosenberg	Direction des Grandes Entreprises 2 rue Laffitte 75450 Paris Cedex 09	Membre du Cornite de Direction Generale de la B.N.P. (financial institution)	French
M. Jean-Marie Duboc	46, Quai Alphonse Le Gallo 92100 Boulogne France	Representant des salaries Thomson Multimedia S.A.	French
M. Alain Rocoplan	Route de Dole 21110 Genlis France	Representant des salaries Thomson Tubes & Display	French
M. Gilles Bujot	Rue Du Gatinais BP 3 77167 Bagneaux Sur Long France	Representant des salaries Thomson Videoglass	French
M. Berirand Le Menestrel	14 rue Saint-Dominque 00450 Paris Armees France	Controleur General des Armees Groupe de Controle des Services et des Industries d'Armement (French Government)	French
M. Thierry Colin	Tour Franatome Cedex 16 92084 Paris La Defense France	Commissaire aux Comptes titulaire Cabinet Mazars & Guerard (French Government)	French
M. Christian Chiarasini	41 rue Ybry 92576 Neuilly Sur Seine Cedex, France	Commissaire aux Comptes titulaire Cabinet Barbier Frinault & Autres (French Government)	French

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M. Patrick de Cambourg	Tour Framatome Cedex 16 92084 Paris La Defense France	Commissaire aux Comptes suppleant Cabinet Mazars & Guerard (French Government)	French
M. Alain Grosmahn	41, rue Ybry 92576 Neully Sur Seine Cedex, France	Commissaire aux Comptes suppleant Cabinet Barbier Frinault & Autres (French Government)	French

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October 3, 1999

TV Guide, Inc. 7140 S. Lewis Avenue Tulsa, Oklahoma 74136-5422

Re: Agreement of Principal Stockholder Concerning Transfer and Voting of Shares of Gemstar International Group Limited

The undersigned understands that TV Guide, Inc., A Delaware corporation ("TV Guide"), and Gemstar International Group Limited, a British Virgin Islands corporation ("Gemstar"), of which the undersigned is a stockholder, are prepared to enter into an agreement for the merger (the "Merger") of G Acquisition Subsidiary Corp., a Delaware corporation ("Sub"), into TV Guide, but that TV Guide has conditioned its willingness to proceed with such agreement (the "Merger Agreement") upon receipt from the undersigned of assurances satisfactory to TV Guide of the undersigned's support of and commitment to the Merger. In order to evidence such commitment and to induce TV Guide to enter into the Merger Agreement, the undersigned hereby represents and warrants to TV Guide and agrees with TV Guide as follows:

- 1. Voting. The undersigned will vote or cause to be voted at any meeting of the stockholders of Gemstar and in any action by consent by the stockholders of Gemstar all shares of capital stock of Gemstar owned of record or beneficially owned or held in any capacity by the undersigned or under the control of the undersigned in favor of the Merger and the issuance of the Parent Common Stock in connection with the Merger and other transactions provided for in or contemplated by the Merger Agreement (including the domestication of Gemstar from the British Virgin Islands to the State of Delaware), and against any inconsistent proposals or transactions.
- 2. Ownership. As of the date hereof, Schedule 1 hereto sets forth the shares of Parent Common Stock owned by the undersigned of record or beneficially, including shares issuable upon the exercise or conversion of options or convertible securities of Gemstar (collectively, the "Shares").
- 3. No Ownership Interest. Except as set forth in Section 1, nothing contained in this Voting Agreement shall be deemed to vest in anyone other than the undersigned any direct or indirect ownership or incidents of ownership of or with respect to any Shares. All rights, ownership and economic benefits of and relating to the Shares shall remain and belong to the undersigned, and no one shall have any authority to manage, direct, restrict, regulate, govern, or administer any of the policies or operations of Gemstar or exercise any power or authority to direct the voting of any of the Shares as a result of this Voting Agreement, except to the extent otherwise expressly provided herein.

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4. Restrictions on Transfer. During the period from the date of the Merger Agreement and continuing until the earlier of (i) September 30, 2000; (ii) the termination of the Merger Agreement pursuant to its terms: or (iii) the Effective Time (as defined in the Merger Agreement), the undersigned will not sell, transfer, pledge or otherwise dispose of any of the Shares or any interest therein or agree to sell, transfer, pledge or otherwise dispose of any of the Shares or any interest therein, without your express written consent, unless the transferee of the Shares agrees in writing to be bound by the terms of this Voting Agreement; provided, however, that (x) the undersigned may, without your consent, sell up to 15% of the Shares owned, in the aggregate, by the undersigned, and (y) the undersigned may pledge the Shares to secure bona fide indebtedness or bona fide monetization transactions or to secure the obligations of a person in connection with derivative transactions and settlement

obligations thereunder (including, without limitation, puts, calls, collars, swaps, etc.) with respect to the Shares of Common Stock, provided that the terms of such derivative transaction permit cash settlement of a party's obligations thereunder and do not restrict our obligations to vote their pledged Shares in accordance with Section 1 hereof. The provisions of Section 5 of this Agreement shall not apply to Shares disposed of under clause (x) of the preceding sentence of this Section 4.

- 5. Grant of Irrevocable Proxy; Appointment of Proxy.
- (a) The undersigned hereby irrevocably grants to, and appoints, Peter Boylan and Joe Kiener, in their respective capacities as officers of the TV Guide, any individual who hereafter shall succeed to any such office of TV Guide, and each of them individually, the undersigned's proxy and attorney-in-fact (with full power of substitution), for and in the undersigned's name, place and stead, to vote the Shares, or grant a consent or approval in respect of such Shares, in accordance with our covenants in Section 1 hereof.
- (b) The undersigned represents that any proxies heretofore given in respect of the Shares are not irrevocable, and that all such proxies are hereby revoked.
- (c) The undersigned hereby affirms that the irrevocable proxy set forth in this Section 5 is given in connection with the execution of the Merger Agreement, and that such irrevocable proxy is given to secure the performance of the undersigned's duties under this Agreement. The undersigned hereby further affirms that the irrevocable proxy is coupled with an interest an may under no circumstances be revoked. The undersigned hereby ratifies and confirms all that such irrevocable proxy may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.
- 6. Termination. This letter agreement and the undersigned's obligations hereunder will terminate upon the earlier to occur of (i) the Effective Time as defined in the Merger Agreement; (ii) the date on which the Merger Agreement is terminated; or (iii) September 30, 2000.

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- 7. Effective Date; Succession; Remedies. Upon your acceptance and execution of the Agreement, this letter agreement shall mutually bind and benefit you and the undersigned, any of the undersigned's heirs, successors and assigns any of your successors. You will not assign the benefit of this letter agreement other than to a wholly owned subsidiary. The undersigned agrees that in light of the inadequacy of damages as a remedy, specific performances shall be available to you, in addition to any other remedies you may have for the violation of this letter agreement.
- 8. Nature of Holdings; Shares. All references herein to our holdings of the Shares shall be deemed to include Shares held or controlled by any of us, individually, jointly (as community property or otherwise), or in any capacity, and shall extend to any securities issued to any of us in respect of the Shares.
- 9. Defined Terms. All capitalized terms used herein shall have the meaning ascribed to such term in the Merger Agreement, unless otherwise defined herein.
- 10. Specific Performance. The parties hereto agree that irreparable damage would occur in the event any provision of this Agreement was not performed in accordance with the terms hereof and that the parties shall be entitled to specific performance of the terms hereof, in addition to any other remedy at law or equity.

Very truly yours,

Principal Stockholder
THOMSON multimedia S.A.

By: /s/ J.E. Meyer

Name: J.E. Meyer

Its: Senior Executive Vice President

ACCEPTED: TV GUIDE, INC.

By: /s/ Peter C. Boylan III Name: Peter C. Boylan III

Its: President

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Schedule 1

Beneficial Owner
THOMSON multimedia S.A.

Ordinary Shares Owned
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AGREEMENT

Each of the undersigned persons hereby agrees that any statement on Schedule 13D, including any amendments thereto, filed by any of such persons with the Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to Section 13(d) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, in respect of the beneficial ownership of equity securities of Gemstar International Group Limited. shall be deemed to be filed on behalf of each of such persons.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Agreement has been executed by the parties hereto effective on the 7th day of February, 2000.

THOMSON S.A.

By:/s/Patrice Maynial Patrice Maynial Corporate Secretary

THOMSON MULTIMEDIA S.A.

By:/s/ Jim Meyer Jim Meyer Senior Executive Vice President

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